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Commander Archie Reed Fields

Commander Archie R. Fields, USN, is currently serving aboard the battleship USS Missouri in Far Eastern waters. He is Air Evaluations Officer on the staff of Vice Admiral Joseph J. Clark, Commander Seventh Fleet.

Fields is the son of Mrs. T. C. Adams, former Whitesburg resident now living in Louisville.

Double Funeral Held In Knott For Letcher County Brothers

Heart Attack Fatal To Millard Crase

Another old Letcher County soldier passed away from a fatal heart Monday, marking the third ex-soldier in the county who has died from such an attack in the past three weeks.

That third soldier to fall victim to a heart disease was Millard Crase, 59, Camp Branch miner who enlisted in the army at the age of 19 in 1912 and served throughout World War I, being rewarded for his service when commissioned a Second Lieutenant at Aignon, France, May 26, 1919.

At the time of his commission, he was serving as First Sergeant of Co. K 116th Infantry, 4th National Guard Unit.

The son of Monroe and Disa Collins Crase, Millard was born at Beaver Dam, Ky., and was married to Nannie Breeding, 61, who survives him, with four children, Mildred Hall, Detroit, Mack Crase, Detroit, S. Sgt. Roy Crase, U. S. Army, and Mary Louise Crase at home.

He is also survived by four sisters, Lizzie Breeding, Kings Creek, Ada Profit, Millstone, Emma Cook, Democrat, and Eliza Holbrook, Neon; four half brothers, Harp, Willie, Herman, and Wannie; and a step mother.

A miner most of his life, he was an employee of the Breeding Coal Company.

Burial was in the Breeding Cemetery at Camp Branch today, Craft Funeral Home in charge of services.

John Billips Joins Funeral Home Staff

John F. Billips, 25, Korean War veteran from Martin in Floyd County, Ky., has joined the Whitesburg Funeral Home in the capacity of licensed mortician.

Billips was discharged from the army Sunday, Nov. 23, and began work with the funeral home the following Monday. Billips was licensed in 1949 and entered employment with the Ryan Funeral Home at Martin.

He left Ryan's for the army and served 24 months, most of which was in the far east, serving 11 months in Japan and four months in Korea.

Wm. Mosgrove Dies At Jeffersonville

William Mosgrove, 43, former Letcher Countyman who has resided in Jeffersonville, Ind., for the past ten years, died at his home there of a heart attack Sunday, November 30, at 6:30 a. m.

Services were held Tuesday afternoon at the Clarksville, Indiana Methodist Church and burial was in a Clarksville cemetery.

He is survived by his wife, Elva Morgan Mosgrove, former Mayking citizen whom he married Nov. 19, 1932, and three children, Billie Mosgrove Duerr, Jeffersonville, Arthur Wayne Mosgrove and Marsha Mosgrove at home.

Also surviving are six brothers, Elbert, Whitesburg; Johnnie, Neon; Hubert, Fla. George, Baltimore, Md.; Jed, Pikeville; Isom, Maryville, Tenn.; and two sisters, Clara Powell, Sergeant, and Anna Bowman, Mayking.

Born in Georgia in 1909, he came to Letcher County in 1916 and worked as a miner at Thornton. Just after the outbreak of World War II, he moved to Indiana, where he has remained since, first as an employee of the Toledo Sales Company and later as a grocer.

Marriage Here Family Affair

A "Doubleheader" wedding performed at the Whitesburg courthouse Friday by Judge Pro Tem Goebel Adams was strictly a family affair as a brother and sister were married to two first cousins.

The brother and sister, both of Detroit, were Wade R. Hampton, 17, and Ruby Elizabeth Hampton, 16, children of Mr. and Mrs. Wade P. Hampton. Both were born in Hampton, Va.

In the ceremony performed in the County Judge's office Friday Wade R. was married to Hazel Lee Bostain, 15, and Ruby Elizabeth was married to James Robert Bostain, 17, son of James B. and Vada Bostain. Hazel Lee was born at Neon and James R. was born at Hemp Hill. James and Hazel Lee are cousins.

Although the newly weds were born and raised almost next door neighbors, they didn't become acquainted until recently, when they met in Detroit, Michigan.

Others issued marriage licenses during the past week, according to County Clerk Charlie Wright were: Stanley Roark, 31, Neon, Creek and Delma Eldridge, 18, Roxana; Claude Short, 22, Pound and Nemo Armstrong, 18, Neon.

James Paul Lucas, 19, Greenfield, Ind., and Fay Catherine Johnson, 18, also from Greenfield.

Elmer Caudill, 18, and Olga Adams, 16, both of Jeremiah, Tenn.; R. Strong, 21, Coeburn, Va., and Bernice Moore, 16, Norton, Va.

Jeffrey Mullins, 21, and Vivian Stanley, 21, both of Skeet-rock, Va.

Delbert Louis Page, 24, and Emma Jean Stidham, 17, both of Wise, Va.

Council Meet Continued

Whitesburg's regular City Council meeting scheduled for Tuesday night was continued when a quorum of members failed to appear. Mayor Banks said illness prevented some of the Council members from being present and the meeting will be held later in the month.

Big item for discussion is the Planning and Zoning Commission which is to be formed here.

Soldier Injured In Auto Wreck

McKinley Ison, soldier son of Herman Ison, suffered a broken collarbone and lacerations of a leg muscle when the car in which he was riding ran off the Cowan Road Bridge below the Mill Dam in the lower end of Whitesburg Sunday afternoon.

Ison and another youth were travelling toward Whitesburg about 4:00 o'clock Sunday afternoon when their car hit a steel railing of the bridge and flipped off the bridge when the railing caught the rear of the car. Safety Director Windus L. Williams said.

The soldier was taken to the Fleming Hospital. The other youth was not seriously injured.

Crissie Cornett Dies At Home

Funeral services were held Saturday afternoon at the residence of Mrs. Crissie Cornett, 56, well-known Whitesburg housewife who died at home Wednesday, November 26, 1952 after being in poor health for seven years.

She was the wife of Melvin Cornett, who survives her. They were married September 24, 1919, and four children were born to that union. Those children, who survive her, are Evelyn Fields, Whitesburg; Rosemary Whitaker, Tifford, Ky.; Van Cornett, Brockton, Mass.; and Hazel Jean Wirax, Tiffin, Ohio.

Also surviving are two grandchildren, William Van Whitaker, five and Elma Jean Worax, five sisters. Mrs. Myrtle Branson, Waynesburg, Ky.; Mrs. Lola Brashears, Oscaloosa, Ky.; Mrs. Carrie Adams, Whitesburg, and Mrs. Cuma Phillips, Elwood, Ind., and two brothers, Hiram Caudill and Raymond Caudill, both of Waynesburg.

A sister, Mrs. Pearl Banks, and two brothers preceded her in death.

Burial was in the Sandlick Cemetery, Craft Funeral Home in charge. Elders Charlie Cornett, Ted Anderson, Bill Sparks and Andrew Adams officiated.

Mrs. Cornett was the daughter of the late Tom Ison and Nancy Caudill Ison. She was born September 30, 1896, in Letcher County.

Kiwanis Give Annual Show

The 8th Annual Minstrel of the Jenkins Kiwanis Club will be held tonight and tomorrow night, Dec. 4 and 5, at the Jenkins Theater at 8:00 o'clock (EST).

This year's minstrel will feature Don Wilson and his daughter, Donna, nationally known University of Kentucky father-and-daughter Band-baton team.

A local cast of 100 performers will be featured also in a two-hour show of dancing, singing and fun.

Amburgey Replaces John As Policeman

Odie Amburgey, coal miner and former Deputy Sheriff under Hassel Stamper, has replaced Steve John as night policeman of the city of Whitesburg.

Steve assigned early this week and Odie took over the job immediately afterward. He was highly recommended for the position.

Whitesburg Will Inaugurate Folk Festival Saturday

Saturday night is the big night at the Whitesburg School for that is the night when folk games and dances will be introduced to the general public by the Whitesburg charges of Mrs. Albert Houley and Miss Betty Jo Little.

Also on hand to help give an expert touch and help assure the success of the big Folk Festival will be Lee Cooper and his Stuart Robinson folk game players, who are known far and wide for their prowess in the folk arts.

All proceeds from the festival go to the Whitesburg High School Band. Admission is 25 and 50 cents.

Some of the dancers scheduled to perform at the festival are:

Boys: Frank Duke, Junior Whitaker, James Cornett, Jimmie Hays, David Estepp, Johnnie Caudill, Lawrence Back, Elwood Cornett, Marion Miniard, Billy Croucher, Oscar Bowling, Raul Salvans Harlan Eldridge.

Girls: Loretta Mays, Delores Carg, housewife who died at home Wednesday, November 26, 1952 after being in poor health for seven years.

Lions Club Promises Outstanding Cast In Minstrel Show

Hambone, Tambo, and Sambo are just a few of the outstanding characters who will entertain for an expected capacity crowd which will gather in the Grace School auditorium Thursday night, December 11, for the annual Whitesburg Lions Club Minstrel Show.

Entitled "Down South" and advertised ticket sales give indication that only standing room and probably very little of that will be available when Master of Ceremonies E. H. Barnette greets the audience.

Twenty-two Lions are included in the cast, chorus by the Whitesburg Kindergarten will precede the minstrel show for Down South will be by Mrs. Rosa Jones and Mrs. Paul Vermillion will direct.

Some outstanding feature attractions will be presented by Sambo (Orville Hughes), Hambone (Paul Vermillion), Professor Heeza Krakpot (Cossie Quillen), All Feet (Emmett G. Fields), and Ellena (L. Hays).

All proceeds from the show will go to worthy causes which the Lions are sponsoring or assisting. The Whitesburg Kindergarten is strictly a Lions project, as is sight conservation and aid to the blind. There also contribute to Scout, Lunchroom program, and many other projects.

Doors of the auditorium will be opened at 6:00 and the Minstrel will begin at 7:03, according to Cossie Quillen who usually hits actual starting time right on the dot.

Admission is \$1.00 for adults and 50c for children at matinee and 50c at evening performance.

This is the sixth annual minstrel the Whitesburg Lions Club has presented and each time the show has become more popular.

CHRISTMAS LIGHTS UP

Whitesburg's Christmas lights, thanks to civic minded merchants, are installed once again to help bring the Yuletide spirit to the town and county.

Three Fire Departments Called To Fight Blaze Which Destroys Three Dwelling Houses At Kona

Three fire departments were called to Kona Sunday morning about 11:10 o'clock (EST) to fight a fire which broke out in the New Kona home of Corbett Mullins and quickly spread to four other adjoining buildings.

Those fire departments came from Neon, Whitesburg, and Jenkins, and the Whitesburg Fire Department was reported to be the only department pumping water on the blaze which had already gained headway on three of the houses before fire fighters arrived.

Fire Destroys Service Station

The C. B. Clay Service Station a mile and a half east of Whitesburg was completely destroyed a little after 12:00 o'clock noon Monday by a fire which broke out in a furnace room in the rear of the building and quickly burst through the entire station after being fed by white gasoline, kerosene, and tires which were stored in a storage room in back.

Damage to the building and property was estimated at \$25,000 by Whitesburg Fire Chief Remond Day, who said his estimate was conservative since the station was well stocked with expensive items. Insurance amounting to \$10,000 was carried with the Whitesburg Insurance Agency.

Mr. Clay said he was in the front room of his station when the fire burst through the tire and storage room. He said he hadn't smelled smoke or felt any excessive heat up to that time.

He called the Whitesburg Fire Department and the fire had burst through the roof and the entire building was in flames when the department reached the station.

Fire Chief Day said his men had to lay 1400 feet of hose from the burning station to the station where the fire broke out.

Limefork Woman Dies At Benham

Myrtle Huff, 44, wife of John D. Huff of Limefork, died at the Benham Hospital Friday, November 28 after an illness of eight months.

She was a life long resident of Limefork. She is survived by her husband, her mother, Mrs. Lilly Coots, and eleven children.

Surviving children are John Huff, Limefork; Mr. Glen Farmer, Peoria, Ill.; Lloyd Rodney Huff, Limefork; James Wayland Huff, Limefork; Grace Huff, Limefork; Sylvia Aileen Huff, Windell Huff, Dale Huff, Lindell Gale Huff, and Gary Wallen Huff, all of Limefork. Six brothers also survive.

Services were held at the Kingdom Come Settlement School Monday afternoon at 1:00 o'clock. The Reverends Caleb Creech and Kirby Ison officiating. Burial was in the John D. Halcomb Cemetery on Limefork.

Thanksgiving Dinner Held At Orphanage

A crowd estimated at nearly 200 people gathered at the Regular Baptist Orphanage Home on Smoot Creek last Thursday for a big Thanksgiving dinner with turkey and all its trimmings.

Besides the dinner, there were church services with Elder Garrett Bates of Hazard, Elder Caleb Creech of Cumberland, and Elder Elbert Bentley preaching The Orphanage, its past accomplishments and future plans, was presented. The dinner was prepared from foodstuff grown by children at the Orphanage.

NEW LICENSE ON SALE

The 1953 License Plates will go on sale tomorrow at the County Court Clerk's office.

PONTIAC TO SHOW SAT.

Kyva Motor Company will display the new Pontiac at its showroom on Madison Street, Saturday.

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We Got A Report From "Ole Virginie"

From out of that grand old Mother State of Virginia we get a report on law enforcement which smells of the same type of speed traps we have come to meet in our vicinity at certain times . . . the type of trap which grabs a man with an out of town license plate and jerks a fine from him regardless of his plea of innocence.

The incident from "Ole Virginie" took place in a little town by the unassuming name of Strasburg. Principal victim in this little Thanksgiving Day drama was a Letcher County youth on his way from Massachusetts to his Whitesburg home, where the body of his mother lay in state.

That young man, sporting New York license plates on his car, was stopped in a 20 mile speed zone and accused of driving over 40 miles per hour. He didn't deny that he was perhaps traveling over 20 miles per hour but he said he wasn't going very fast. His thoughts at the time of course were of getting home but he had no idea of breaking any laws in his anxiety to get there.

He was also tired, weary, and worried at the time, having driven since 1:00 o'clock in the morning to the time of his arrest, which was about noon. He said he apologized to the arresting officer and judge and told them why he wished to reach home quickly but the Virginians just laughed at him and put him under bond to appear in their court in December. He will of course forfeit the bond rather than inconvenience himself by appearing in the town again.

The story doesn't end there. When the Letcher County youth left the court he was followed by two officers until he was ten miles out of Strasburg. You can bet that in the future he won't care to get within ten or even a hundred miles of that town again.

While thinking of the treatment Letcher County drivers have received in other towns, our mind goes back a few weeks to the evening when a couple of our football coaches were stopped in the little Floyd County town of Lackey and charged with excessive speeding, although they claimed they were not traveling very fast. The Police Judge was eating at that particular time and didn't want to disturb his meal for a speeding trial so the coaches were sent on their way to the Big Sandy Bowl and told to watch their step while in Lackey.

A week later, the Floyd County Times ran a front page story where the Police Judge of Lackey admitted he had a speed trap in operation in his small incorporated town. He told of the speed trap with pride and we don't think his boasts helped the popularity of Lackey or that particular Police Judge. We know our coaches don't think much of Lackey.

And then we hit home with a very up-to-date incident where a car passing a school bus is once more involved. Victim in this case is a salesman for a national company. That salesman has made his headquarters in the county for quite a while and knows his way around. "Evidently he doesn't know his way around the law circles too well however, or he wouldn't sport an out-of-state license plate," a friend remarked when we inquired of the incident.

Here's how it was told to us:

The salesman passed a moving school bus and two trucks belonging to a local wholesale firm passed the moving bus also. A car behind the trucks stopped and didn't pass the bus as the big vehicle slowed to a

stop. An officer gave chase to the other vehicles, passed the two wholesale trucks and arrested the salesman with the out-of-state license plates.

We could name many incidents but we'll just stop right here and wonder just what is the reason for the sudden interest in dragging drivers into court. Is it because the law is finally cracking down on drivers who have been violating traffic rules in the past and have escaped or is it because "grab" money has become the livelihood of many who can't or won't try to make a living elsewhere now that the easy money of the war and post war boom is gone.

You answer the questions. We'll just watch and report on incidents within our focus.

Fire Points Further Need Of Annexing

This week's disastrous fire outside the corporate limits of Whitesburg points further to the need of annexing much of the thickly populated territory outlining the city's boundaries. That need has been stressed in the past few months by the City Council, Mayor, and interested citizens but opposition has been so strong that no move for annexation has been made.

Strongest reason to opposition to annexation is of course the resentment of (city) taxes, which would add a heavier burden on already over-taxed property owners. However, that reason could be easily overcome if those property owners realized how much more benefit they get from city taxes than from state, county, or government tax.

Being a part of a city offers benefits which far overshadow any disadvantages a little extra taxing might impose. We point first to the fire protection which is offered to residents of the city. Of course, the fire department will go to fires anywhere outside the city limits when called to do so but that department can make no arrangements beforehand to protect places out of corporate limits in case of fire. We speak of fire hydrants and other necessities to lessening the chance of fire doing great damage.

At Monday's fire, the Whitesburg Fire Department had to lay 1400 feet of hose in order to find a source of water with which to fight the fire. Laying that hose meant a loss of valuable time and still little water could be pumped from such a long distance. If a fire hydrant had been installed nearby, a good source of water would have been handy with plenty of pressure. The city installs fire hydrants at convenient places throughout its corporate limits.

There is also the sanitary angle to think of when the annexation question comes to the front. Whitesburg hauls its citizens' garbage free of charge and dumps that garbage far out of town. Streets are also washed at regular intervals and other sanitary and health measures are followed. A city must look out for the health of its individuals.

The city also has a fine police department which is on call at all times to protect its citizens. A Saturday night in Whitesburg's streets is usually more free of evil sights than a Sunday night in many other towns.

We are not coming right out and urging everyone to start yelling for annexation. Our intention is to urge those living in the immediate outskirts of the city to give thought to the possibility of annexation and study all advantages as measured against the disadvantages such annexation will offer.

We think the advantages will win.

Head of Local Coal Co. Appointed Secretary of Treasury

—by Seth Kegan—

George M. Humphrey is to be the new head of the U. S. Treasury. Mr. Humphrey was Chairman of the Board of Directors of Pittsburgh Consolidation Coal Company, the parent company of Consolidation Coal Company (Ky.), Jenkins, Kentucky. Through his interest as a coal man and following his practice of seeing for himself those operations with which he was connected, Mr. Humphrey has made many trips into southeastern Kentucky.

At least once a year he made a visit to all the coal operations of Consol (Ky.) as well as visiting many other operations in the eastern Kentucky coal fields. Through these visits he became well acquainted with coal mining in this area and knew many connected with the coal industry of our section. Consequently, we have going into the Cabinet a friend, not a stranger who is known to many of us personally and who is interested in our section of Kentucky.

Another thing which would endear Mr. Humphrey in the hearts of Kentuckians is his love for horses. He is a former master of the hounds of the Chagrin Valley Hunt Club and still rides to the hounds. He has a stable of brood mares in Lexington and a training stable under W. P. (Doc) Jones of Charlotte, Va.

Aside from his interests in Pittsburgh Consol, Mr. Humphrey has been head of the M. A. Hannah Company for 23 years; chairman of the executive committee of the National Steel Corporation; Chairman of the executive committee of the Industrial Rayon Corporation; President

of the Iron Ore Company of Canada and director of all these firms as well as the Phelps Dodge Corp., the National City Bank of Cleveland and the Canada and Dominion Sugar Company. Mr. Humphrey is resigning all of these positions to accept the position of Secretary of the Treasury.

While Mr. Humphrey has been in the public eye very little he is quite well known in industrial and financial circles. He is one of the leading figures in finance in our country.

Politically Mr. Humphrey is a Republican. He has been very active in educational, charitable and civic programs but has never before engaged in political activities or held a public position.

Using Mr. Humphrey's own words about his appointment, "It was a surprise to me. It will be an important financial, family and business sacrifice, but I couldn't sleep nights if I didn't do it." This clearly indicates the truly great and unselfish American that he is.

CARBON GLOW BOY SERVING WITH 999th ARTILLERY IN KOREA

Sgt. Sidney V. Bryant, Carbon Glow, has been serving in Korea with the 999th Armored Field Artillery Battalion, which recently began its third year in the Korean combat zone.

Sgt. Bryant, a cook, has been in Korea since last April. His mother Mrs. Mildred Bryant lives at Carbon Glow.

COMPLETES BASIC

Pvt. Bryce Breeding, son of Mr. and Mrs. Elisha Breeding of Isom, completed his basic training at the Quartermaster Replacement Center, Fort Lee, Va. on November 28, 1952. Pvt. Breeding was inducted into the Army September 24, before entering the service, he attended Daniel School.

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My name is John H. Sammons, better known as Johnnie Sammons, formerly of Thornton but now residing in Tiffin, Ohio.

Please print this letter. I will take the criticism. I have been reading Mr. Combs' piece in the dear old Eagle. Mom sends me The Eagle every week, she lives at Thornton. She will hand you this.

So with thanks,
—JOHN H. SAMMONS.

(EDITOR'S NOTE: We print your letter, as we print all signed letters from our readers when those letters are not obscene or out of place. However, by printing this letter, we do not take sides in the controversy in question.)

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A LETTER

Tiffin, Ohio
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Whitesburg, Ky.

I would like for you to print this letter for me since I can tell you more about the fee grabbing in that town like Mr. Combs spoke of in his letter.

I was taken before Magistrate at Whitesburg and fined \$26.50 for improper license. I had just bought the car four days before and one of the deputy sheriffs

had been driving the same car a few days before I got the car, and he had been making arrests in the car with the same plates on the car. He was asked in the magistrate's presence if he was violating the law when he drove the car and he said he was not.

An officer arrested me for improper license. I had no chance for a trial. I was getting ready to leave Letcher for work in Tiffin, Ohio, and would get a new license there but was forced to get Kentucky plates before I

could get out of Kentucky.

My father was sick and had just come home from the Seco Hospital, and I wanted to stay around for a few days before I left. I went to see a friend at Sergeant, Ky. and the same evening deputies came down there and arrested me without a warrant and searched me and my car without a search warrant and for no cause took me to the Milltown. I was tried to get me identified as the one who broke in the store. They had already found the ones and made arrests earlier in the day. I had never been accused of stealing before (or afterwards) and have always tried my best to be law abiding in every way.

I had two sets of license to buy. I stayed here 30 days on my Ky. plates and could have stayed longer. Guess they will get me for new plates when I come home to see dad again as I have just heard he is back in the Seco Hospital. I now have Ohio plates.

The incident I speak of happened on the 25th of Aug.

LIONS

CLUB
Most of the Whitesburg citizens are familiar with the big orange buttons "DOWN SOUTH".



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Whitesburg, Ky.

"SOUTH" on the proud and manly chests of the Lions. A visitor inquired of a Lion, "What does that badge mean?" He answered, "My heart goes where the Democrats go, DOWN SOUTH".

Republicans, Democrats, Methodists, Baptists, Presbyterians and Independents will all go to see the great Minstrel show at the Whitesburg Grades School, December 11, a leatle after 7:29 which (colloquialism) is near the edge of darkness.

Most of the troupe of players will be dressed in black with bug-tailed coats. Ham Bonnett will introduce the drama. Those needed to be thrown out have already been attended to, and the show will

go on in pomp and circumstance. A clean show, which always performs in the annual minstrel, will be given. All the little cotton-pickin', "workin' on the railroad" gangs will be full, of fun that is, and there will be plenty of punches that will not be pulled for your enjoyment.

Paul Vermillion, chairman of the minstrel show, and well-known-Lion promises a mouth-spread for every laugh. Whitesburg folks know what is the annual benefit given to the needy people through this Minstrel, and they are just rearin' to get front-box seats for the occasional wake-up, and giggle events.

You will be wearin' your

"DOWN SOUTH" buttons, or pokin' a dollar ticket in the Lion's paws to get an early seat.

Most of the back seats are always taken early at the churches, but these front seats and special box-arrangements will give the hearers thereof better and more laughable positions. Let no one be able to say, "I went to the Minstrel, but I did not split my sides grinning from suspender to suspender." There will be some frowns among the blushes, but those who take the risk of coming will just take their own chances on splitting their new vests, and bursting their seams in the big laugh.

Lions are sorry, but they cannot be responsible for

damages done by losing upper or lower pants, getting beat on the backs, or having laughin' convulsions while the show is orderly proceedin'.

TURKEY CREEK BOY SERVING IN KOREA

Cpl. Robert L. Runyon, whose wife lives in Williams, W. Va., has been serving in Korea with the 99th Armored Field Artillery Battalion, which recently began its third year in the Korean combat zone.

In its first two years of action, the battalion fired more than 180,000 rounds against the Communists and sometimes operated in front of infantry mortar units in an attack.

Cpl. Runyon arrived in Korea last January and has been serving as a switchboard operator in the battalion.

The son of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Runyon of Turkey Creek, he entered the Army in July 1951.

LETCHER CIRCUIT COURT ELKHORN COAL COMPANY Plaintiff VS. ORDER OF SALE John Orender, Defendant

By virtue of a judgment and order of sale directed to me which issued from the Clerk's Office of the Letcher Circuit Court, in the above styled case, I, or one of my deputies will on Saturday, the 13th day of December, 1952, at the front door of the store owned and operated by the plaintiff, at Kona, Letcher County, Kentucky, at the hour of 10:00 o'clock A. M., expose to public sale to the highest bidder the following described property:

One Philco Combination Radio; One Philco Refrigerator and one Vesta Heating Stove.

Levied upon as the property of John Orender.

Amount to be raised: \$413.77

Principal Interest from 10-28-1952 until paid.

Court's cost 14.10

Plus cost of sale, commission, etc.

Said sale will be made on a credit of three months or the purchaser may pay cash in hand. If sold on a credit the purchaser will be required to execute a sale bond with approved surety bearing interest at the rate of 6 per cent per annum from date until paid.

Given under my hand this 23rd day of November, 1952. HASSEL STAMPER, Sheriff, Letcher County, Ky.



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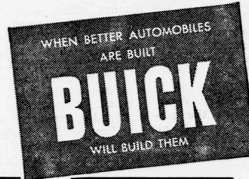
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Lower Rockhouse News

James M. Adams spent Sunday night with Oscar Back and Susan.

Oscar Back and family spent the week end with William Adams of Blair Branch.

George Hampton, Bennie Haynes, Clayton Shepherd and Dennis Caudill are enjoying television in their homes.

Grant B. Blair, Watson Adams and others have television down near Letcher.

Watson Adams and Orpha and Jimmy of Garner were visitors of Watson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Adams of Spring Branch this week.

John Quincy Adams visited Oscar Back and Bennie Blair Saturday.

Ralph Blair of Perkins Branch visited Mollie Gar Blair and children Sunday.

Pearlie Blair, daughter of the late Jim and Anna Blair of Perkins Branch is employed in the Williams Cafe in Whitesburg.

The Sycamore 4-H Club has drawn names for their Christmas program.

Paul Bowens, Anna and children moved to Carr Creek, but after two weeks returned to Drew Branch. They were not satisfied at Carr Creek.

Emmett Adams' small child was reported to be very ill with pneumonia last week.

Miss Maxine Caudill had a birthday party Saturday Nov. 22. Many of her friends and relatives were there to enjoy the event.

Hazel Lois Adams had a birthday dinner Nov. 29. She is 11 years old and a student at Sycamore School.

4-H Club members were invited to attend a meeting at S. R. S. where they heard talks on poultry raising and care and cutting and curing meats.

Elizabeth and Maxine Whitaker were week end visitors of Jacqueline and Cormel Lee Hampton.

Janet and Aaron Jr., Whitaker have been on the sick list at their home on Perkins Branch.

Work on the Blair Branch Church has been halted temporarily, but it is hoped that it will be started again soon, as there is a great need for this church.

The only communities in Lower Rockhouse not accessible by roads and bridges are Perkins Branch, Jeremiah School, and the stretch from Blair Branch to Wallens Branch behind Ison Stockyards. These bridges and approximately four miles of road would make every community reachable by car or truck from Dixon School below Blackey to Daniels Branch above Ison Post office.

Bill Back and Peggy Adams have made a turning for cars at the end of Spring Branch Road.

Spencer Whitaker of Detroit Michigan was a week end visitor of friends and relatives in this area.

Susan Hampton is convalescing slowly at her home near Jeremiah. We wish her a speedy and quick recovery. (Last Week's News)

Plans have been discussed Anna M. Collins of Whites to start a First Aid and Safetyburg.

class somewhere in this area. The class would meet one night a week for 16 weeks.

Riley Caudill and Burlie Caudill of Spring Branch have passed the examination for first class Mine Foreman's certificates and Willie J. Back made second class in the recent examination held at the Bureau of Mines, University of Kentucky.

Hisey Caudill, butchered two fine hogs this week end and worked the meat into sausage, canned fresh, and cured bacon and ham.

Tipp Cornett, Cora Back Cornett, Freeda and Howard were week end visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Caudill and David Back this week end.

Denver Back and wife Ethel are almost ready to move into their newly constructed home on Spring Branch. It is reported that they will continue the store business at the Jeremiah Post Office building.

Dawson Back made a business trip to Whitesburg recently.

Jerry Back and family from Carbon Glow were recent visitors on Spring Branch.

Jimmie Hampton and family have moved from Perkins Branch to Ohio, where Jimmie has a steady job in a factory.

Paul Bowens of D r e w Branch has moved to Carr Creek.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Blair visited Henry Blair of Carr Creek and Mr. and Mrs. James M. Adams of Spring Branch this week end.

Anna Joyce Adams returned with Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Blair of Hamersville, Ohio, where she will spend several weeks.

Mr. Anna Adams of Spring Branch celebrated her birthday Friday, November 21.

SYCAMORE P. T. A. NEWS

We had as guests Mr. Robert Blair and Elmond Fields representing the Junior Order of American Mechanics to discuss the work of their organization. The Sycamore School will be presented with a flag and a Bible to be kept in the school in the future.

Mr. Dawson Back has assembled and painted a flag pole and has an anchor of cement poured. The flag will soon be waving in the breeze at Sycamore.

Our heating system should have been here and almost ready for use by now. We want to be patient but the winter is getting colder.

The old swinging bridge is reported to be dangerous by those who understand such structures and several of the parents prefer to have their children cross the rail road bridge. This bridge should get some attention. Madison Smith erected this bridge shortly after the end of the first world war and outside of new floor there has been little repair work done to the bridge in more than a quarter of a century of continuous service.

S2-C COLLINS SERVES ABOARD FLEET OILER

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Society

by Miss Cecil Webb

Vicki Moore celebrated her sixth birthday with a slumber party on Friday night, November 21. Guests were: Patty Goff, Jerry Nolan, Mahalia Reynolds, Paulella Caudill, Jane Rose Banks and Sheila Banks.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Walker and Mr. and Mrs. Willard Gay of Detroit, were Thanksgiving day guests of Mr. and Mrs. B. Walker in Hazard.

Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Price and children, David, Daina Renner and Jennifer and Mrs. Bell Hays spent the holidays at their farm in Tennessee.

On Friday afternoon Sandy Bloomer celebrated her sixth birthday at her home. A number of friends were invited in for an afternoon of games and fun after which they gathered around a beautifully decorated birthday cake which was centered with six lighted candles and were served cake, ice cream and punch. Those enjoying the occasion were: Kay Carla Ann and Jo Lark, Sheila and Susie Banks, Jeanette Thomas, Danny and Billy Long, Patty Goff, Randy Fields, and Jerry Nolan, Sandy received many pretty gifts.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Collins, Sr., and son, Harlan Francis spent the holidays in Louisville as guests of their son, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Collins Jr., and Mr. and Mrs. Stamper Collins.

Mrs. E. Hampton Barnette is visiting her daughter Mrs. Jack DuPuy and family at Pikeville this week. The Methodist parsonage which is being remodeled is nearing completion and the Barnettes are looking forward to being established in their own home once again.

Students Home for Holiday
Students home from various colleges for the holidays were: Jan and Connie Combs, Bronston Clay, Sammy Maggard, Donna Jo Adams, Martha Ann Holbrook, Jane Raleigh Lewis and Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Maggard from the University of Ky.; Helen Sue Polly, Polly Jenkins, Sally Pugette and Wanda Kincer from Eastern State College; Shirley Fields, Ann Hogg, Junior Bates and James Gose from Morehead College; Joan Lewis from Transylvania College; Emma Jean Pigman from Bowling Green Business College.

Mr. and Mrs. Emmette Fields and son, Burkie visited recently in Lexington with Mrs. Fields' mother, Mrs. Thomas Burke. While in Lexington Mrs. Fields attended the Boston Symphony Concert held at Memorial Coliseum.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Blair, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Williams and Maurice Blair who is attending Georgetown College were guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Schopler at Dayton, Ohio during the holidays.

Sue Auton of Frankfort was the guest of Mrs. Don Collins and family during the holidays.

Brotherhood Meets
The First Baptist Church had its monthly Brotherhood meeting at the Church on Tuesday evening, Dec. 2, at 6:30 p. m. President Pollock Fields was in charge of the program. Those present were: Lewis Ammerman, A. P. Williams, Clyde Walker, Kermit Combs, Rev. Cleo Rodgers, Roy Guiley, Blaine Polly, Lee Adams, Sam Collins, Bob Stansberry, Jack Cox, Alvin Holbrook, E. M. O. R. Taylor, J. H. Herbert, Hiram Lewis, J. R. Herbert, Henry Cayce, W. B. Hall and Russell Price. This being the Christmas program, turkey with all the trimmings was served.

Thanksgiving Day dinner guests of Mrs. Nellie Moore were Mr. and Mrs. Ferdinand Moore and daughters, Frieda and Vicki Moore.

Relatives attending the wedding of Miss Rita Bell and Tommy Bates at the St. Veronica Catholic Church in Hamilton, Ohio on Thanksgiving Day were: Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Bates, Mrs. Zenneth Bentley, Bill Bates, and Manford Arnold.

Music Party Given
Mrs. Albert Jones presented her grade students in recital at a music party last Tuesday afternoon at the Grade School auditorium. Guests were the parents and friends of the young pianists who were seated at a party table decorated with favors and wearing party hats. Following the recital refreshments were served to about sixty guests. Assisting Mrs. Jones in serving were some of her High School students.

Senator Archie Craft returned home Monday after spending several days in Ft. Pierce, Florida. He reports that he is much improved and that he found the fishing fine.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lucas and daughter, Harrie Lynn and Mrs. Elizabeth Lucas visited recently in Chattanooga, Tenn., as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Frederick.

Frieda Fay Moore and Kay Combs Moore who attend Cardome Academy at Georgetown spent the Thanksgiving holidays as guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ferdinand Moore.

Dinner guests at the Pine Mountain Hotel of Thanksgiving were Mr. and Mrs. Orval Hughes, Don Hughes and guest Kay Combs Moore.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Kincer and daughter, Joyce visited in Lexington, Va., during the holidays. They were the guests of their son, Cadet Ronnie Kincer who is a student at Virginia Military Institute.

Last Saturday evening Shirley Ann Butcher was entertained on her sixteenth birthday with a party at the Elmdale Drive-In Theatre. The party was given by her aunt, Mrs. Archie Craft, assisted by Ella Louise Polly and Sheila Moore. The evening was passed in playing Bingo and square dancing. Delicious refreshments consisting of birthday cake, sundaes and Cokes were served to the following friends of the honoree: Sue Auton, Frankfort; Ella Louise Polly, Sheila Moore, Benita Collins, Anna C. Brock, Kay Moore, Barbara Lewis, Jan Combs, Carol and Hudson Goins, Buddy Fields, Don Hughes, Billy Dean Sergeant, Jack Reed, Hal F. C. Hammond, Douglas Polly, Richard Day, Edie Collins, Gene Pendleton and Mrs. LaRue Brock. The honoree received lovely gifts.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Hammon and Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Bowman were called to Jeffersonville, Indiana this week because of the death of their brother-in-law, Bill Mosgrove. Mr. Mosgrove suffered a heart attack on Sunday morning and passed away suddenly.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Collins and family visited recently in North Vernon, Indiana with Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Calhoun.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Lewis and son, Gordy were in Lexington last week. They were guests of the H. W. Sallings.

Dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Jenkins on Thanksgiving Day were: Dr. and Mrs. C. G. Passmore, Mrs. B. E. Farmer, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Passmore and children, Jack Granford and Carol Frances, of Norton, Va.

On last Saturday afternoon Patty Goff celebrated her sixth birthday with a party at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Goff. A number of friends were invited in for an afternoon of games and

play after which delicious birthday cake ice cream and soft drinks were served to the following: Vicki Moore, Beverly Wright, Jeanette Thomas, Della Banks, Sheila Banks, Sandy Bloomer, Frieda Fay Moore, Paula Lark, Virginia Osborne, Jerry Nolan, Mahalia Reynolds, Kyleen Campbell and Sue Lewis. Dainty popcorn balls tied with Christmas ribbon were given as favors. Patty was the recipient of many lovely gifts.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Froste and daughter, Suellen attended the Santa Claus parade in Knoxville last Friday.

Miss Pauline Amburgey who teaches at Valley High School in Louisville spent the holidays as guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Amburgey.

Thanksgiving Day dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Day were Mr. and Mrs. Dale Christopher and a number of children, Dickey and Rita, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Owens and son, Nolan, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Day and daughter, Cheri; Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Day and daughters; Mrs. Ellis Banks, Mrs. Rosa Sue King, Tommy Banks and Drucilla Day who is a student at Lincoln Memorial University.

Mrs. Charlie Wright has returned to her home after undergoing a major operation at the Seco Hospital. Mrs. Wright's condition is satisfactory.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Campbell of Belair, Maryland announce the engagement of their daughter, Kathryn to Mr. Hearl Hensley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ewell Hensley, Van, Ky. The wedding date is to be announced at a later time.

Col. Clair E. Back, Commander of the Third Air Rescue Group in Japan and Korea is expected this week in Whitesburg for a short visit with his mother, Mrs. Ella Back and family. Col. Back is on a hurried business trip to Washington. Mrs. Back and son remained in Japan.

Thanksgiving day dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Goff were Mr. and Mrs. Estill Combs, Hazard; Mrs. Nellie Combs, Cincinnati and Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Collins.

Mrs. Mattie Swisher who has been ill for some time is convalescing at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Sutherland in Harlan. Her address is 603 Bourbon Street.

Thanksgiving day dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Swisher were: Mrs. R. N. Swisher, Yarette Swisher, and Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Webb.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Lewis of Wellston, Ohio, and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Lewis of Kingsport were guests of Aunt Lucy Lewis and other relatives last week end.

Miss Cleo Stamper, librarian at Eastern State College, spent the Thanksgiving holidays as the guest of her mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Tom Mullins and children, Tommy Lee and Patricia of Pound, Va., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roy McClure during Thanksgiving.

Sgt. and Mrs. Marvin Nielson and son, Marvin Jr., returned home Monday from Washington, D. C., where they spent the holiday.

Rev. Wilson Speaker
On Sunday morning, November 30, The Rev. Ernest Wilson, former pastor of the Presbyterian church at the pulpit of the church at 11:00 o'clock hour. Rev. Wilson who is now pastor of the Presbyterian Church at Wyndham was accompanied by Mrs. Wilson and family. After the sermon which was enjoyed by all present, everyone assembled in the recreation room of the church where a turkey dinner served by the ladies of the church. The Wilsons who were royally welcomed by their many friends returned to their home in the late afternoon.

Homemakers' Xmas Party
The Whitesburg Homemakers' Club met at the home of Mrs. French Hawk on Monday at 7:00 p. m. Mrs. Charlie Blair, vice president, presided over the meeting. The roll call was "The first Christmas I remember", those remembrances ranged from sawdust dolls with China heads to homemade rag dolls.

Mrs. Kermit Combs made very interesting plans for the recreation period which was highlighted by the human Christmas trees. These parts were played by Mrs. Fitzhugh Pendleton and Mrs. Hazel Childers. All of the usual Christmas tree decorations were used to dress up these members, including strings of popcorn, stars and yards of red ribbon.

Lovely gifts were exchanged, all of them made at home and delicious refreshments were served by the hostess. The following members were present, Miss Roberts, Halcomb, Mesdames French Hawk, Kermit Combs, M. D. Lewis, R. Dow Collins, Fitzhugh Pendleton, Will Lewis, Hazel Childers, Sam Collins, and Charlie Blair. The January meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. M. D. Lewis.

Vandiver-Huffman Vows To Be Said Saturday



Argyle Huffman and Rosetta Vandiver, pictured above, have set their marriage date for Saturday, December 6, and will spend part of their honeymoon in Whitesburg with his mother, Sallie Huffman.

Rosetta is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur M. Vandiver of Louisville. Argyle is employed in Louisville. He attended Whitesburg High School. They will make their home in Louisville.

THE PARSON SAYS:

—by E. Hampton Barnette
Last week "The Parson" spoke at the High School Chapel. Paul Vermillion asked his little girl, "Who was the speaker at the chapel today?" The little girl answered: "I don't know who he was, but he was from 'DOWN SOUTH' for he had a big button on his coat telling where he was from. I thought I was well known in Letcher County."

I had paid enough fines for not wearing the "DOWN SOUTH" Lions minstrel button, so I just had to save enough miles to get me in the minstrel December 11, so I wore the button as speaker at the chapel.

Lady Barnette was looking over the new parsonage the other day, and observed the nice spacious wardrobes, closets, and shelves. She said: "Merciful goodness, we will not have anything left to put under the beds with all this space to store things."

In making a pastoral call to the Marlowe store and offices the other day, I noticed a strange perfume in Orval Hughes office, which I was slightly accustomed to at times when the going was rough. A mouse and made its demise, and was lingering longer under the floor than its welcome would grant it permission. I knew Dan Combs was used to expensive perfume and Annie Marlowe had just returned from New York. Upon inquiry I was informed that a mouse had starved to death up there, because the Methodist Church had broke the office floor with collections, and they were not able to feed their rats and mice, sufficiently to keep them alive. I have often heard of the

"Poor church mouse", but this is the first time I ever knew one to starve to death in a coal company office.

In a most interesting and moving speech made at the Union Thanksgiving services at the Baptist Church, delivered by Prof. W. L. Cooper, Superintendent of the Stuart Robinson School, Blackey, he reached his climax by saying: "The first \$800 was given to start the school by a Methodist Woman of Florida, who later gave \$8,500 to start the Library." He remarked, "Methodist money in the hands of Presbyterians, is always a good investment."

He gave his thanks that he a Presbyterian had been invited by a Methodist Preacher to speak in a Baptist church. He observed that this was a good sign of Christian cooperation in Whitesburg.

Dr. Lee Moore, Orval Hughes, and Virgil Picklesimer, gave most helpful and effective prayers during the Thanksgiving services. The tons of their petitions was Christian unity in the world, nation, and the community. The ministerial Association headed by The Rev. Cleo Rodgers, planned one of the best Thanksgiving services we have been privileged to attend.

The community will come into cooperation again very soon when the Annual Christmas baskets will be provided for the needy.

One who lives in Whitesburg has become familiar with the lovely spirit shown in any time of need among the people. One who tries to earn a decent living, but finds himself unable to make ends meet, will always have friends to tide him over when the going is rough.

Those who expect to get a basket for Christmas will be expected to attend some church, and show his Christian interest in the community life. People like to share with those who are worthy, and those who are trying to make life happy and useful. The churches should all be full between now and Christmas. Santa Claus always

visits the churches. He likes good little peoples, and wants to fill their stockings, while they fill their souls with spiritual things.

DUNHAM

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Hall are the parents of a baby boy born, Nov. 23. They are now living in Dayton, Ohio.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Dotson announce the arrival of an addition to the family.

Mr. and Mrs. Norris Holbrook, of Dayton, Ohio, are visiting their parents and relatives in Dunham.

Mrs. Joe Desmonie and Marcella Rife are visiting in Detroit.

Mrs. Bernard Reynolds, of Pound, Va., has been visiting her son, Marvin in Detroit. Marvin and his family accompanied her home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Stallard were visiting his mother in Wise recently.

Mrs. William Toth and Mrs. Ova Cox were hostesses at a birthday party given in honor of Doris Jean Cox at the home of Mrs. Toth. Refreshments were served to 35 guests.

George Ellis, of the U. S. Army, has been home on furlough, visiting his sister, Mrs. Ray Stallard.

Ralph Collier and Imogene Mullins were married recently.

Cpl. Jack McWilliams, of the Air Force, in San Antonio, Texas, has been home on a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. McWilliams.

Mrs. Marvin Sanders entertained with a stork shower Saturday afternoon in honor of her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Elmer Lois Sanders.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hall, of Payne Gap, were Sunday

guests of their daughter, Mrs. Martin Green. Arlie Webb was in Lexington on business recently. The Dunham P. T. A. held its regular monthly meeting Thursday, Nov. 20, at the school.

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JENKINS NEWS

Students home for the Thanksgiving holiday included the Medical Auxiliary in Adams, Jerry Coy, Bill Jordan, Tommy Edwards, Mickey Prunty, Barbara Kegan, Ronnie Swindle, all from U. of K. Jerry Wetzel and Bill Rutherford of Western; Sue Carol Killen, Shirley Draughan, Bill Boy, Marietta Crase, Phyllis Adams, Margaret Ann Lawson and Phyllis Bowling of Morehead; Jack Perry from U. K., Sam Cassidy and Bob Tarleton from Duke University, Russell Johnson, U. of Louisville; Jack Alsop, Jerry Arrington from Georgetown; George Hendry from KMI.

The Woman's Missionary Society of the Fundamental Baptist Church, had as their guests for their Thanksgiving pot-luck dinner their husbands. At this meeting the following officers were elected: President, Betty Jo Cline, Treasurer, Mrs. S. S. Warren, Secretary, Mrs. J. C. Stambaugh, Mrs. Charles Johnson. A large group is expected to be present at the Christmas meeting.

Plans were made for filling socks for the Veterans Hospital, and the bazaar which will be held by the Woman's Club sometime in December. The hostesses, Mrs. Perry and Mrs. A. Joe Asher served refreshments to the following members: Mesdames E. J. Berlin, J. C. Stambaugh, Bob Blake, George Tarleton, S. O. Polly, J. C. Bumgardner, J. W. Jesse, C. V. Snapp, L. J. Bowling, P. H. Crase, Clyde Stambaugh, Blaine Sexton and Alvin Stultz.

The Pine Mountain Baptist Associational Missionary

—by John R. Isaac—

Friends were past one holiday, and we are approaching Christmas. We generally give a person a gift on his birthday—I wonder what we will give Christ on his birthday.

Last week at Hot Spot we had forty in Sunday School. I had fifteen in an adult young peoples class. Mr. Alvin Holbrook is doing a fine job there.

We would like for all our churches to get ready to attend the Associational Sunday School meeting at Central Church at Cumberland on Sunday Dec. 7, 1952. The executive board meets at McRoberts Baptist Church Dec. 8, 1952 at 7:30 (EST).

We rejoice with the Jenkins Baptist Church over a fine revival. Brother R. Lee James has been having what he calls a ten-week revival, and many precious souls have been saved.

Remember folks, one of our goals for the new year was to have half as many mission stations as we have churches. We have sixteen churches and at the present we only have five mission stations. Let us remember that a church with no outlet for its spiritual overflows will soon become stagnant and die.

Let me know if I can help you with a spiritual problem. See you next week.

BLACKKEY

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Back and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Black were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Pearl Back at Berea and Mrs. Cinda Dixon last week end. William Watts is at home on Taubly of Line Fork. He has returned from overseas service and says he plans to join the Air Force soon.

Mr. Caudill of Flat Gap, Va., is visiting here for a short while.

Arch Cornett and others attended church at Hindman Sunday and had dinner with R. B. Watts and sister.

Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Whitaker are visiting their son, Kirby, on Leatherwood in Perry County.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Breeding, of Detroit, are visiting Cramer Mullis and family this week.

C. B. Caudill and Cramer Mullis were visiting Mrs. Begley at Maytown, Ky., Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Back and Anna Sue, and Mrs. T. A. Dixon took Thanksgiving with Elder and Mrs. W. C. Campbell of Viper, Ky.

Ira Whitaker and daughter and W. K. Whitaker, of Missouri, are visiting Steve Whitaker and family and "Uncle" Jim Brown.

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While the ladies and good mothers spread the Thanks giving Dinners the visitors from Eagle Council No. 12 Jr. O. U. A. M. walked over the school campus and discussed the improvements, then after the program and presentation of the Flag and Bible the group moved down to the newly erected flag pole and while the flag went up the crowd sang part of the Star Spangle banner.

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NOTICE

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Letcher Counties Return From Florida

Dr. J. E. Skaggs of Neon, and brother M. E. Skaggs of Skaggs, Ky., have returned from Ft. Pierce, Florida from a hunting trip. They report that two deer and four turkeys were killed by their party.

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Mrs. Maggie Caudill who is

eighty-two years old called at The Mountain Eagle office and subscribed to the paper for her son on Tuesday. Mrs. Caudill resides with her daughter, Mrs. John Tolliver and Mr. Tolliver at Cromona.

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JENKINS

The Woman's Society of Christian Service of the Methodist Church held the November meeting at the church last Monday night. The meeting was opened with Malotte's Lord's Prayer sung by Mrs. Hayden Igleheart and the devotion which was given by Mrs. J. M. Smith. Mrs. C. C. Stevenson, secretary of Christian Social Relations was in charge of the program and presented Seth Kegan who gave a very informative talk on the United Nations.

The business session followed with the president Mrs. Dave Zeeger presiding.

The hostesses Mrs. A. C. Dittick, Mrs. Dick Storey and Mrs. Henry Sewell, served refreshments to the following members: Mesdames J. M. Smith, C. C. Stevenson, William Ray Mullins, C. H. Wolfe, Dick Halbert, T. D. Vaughan, Dave Zeeger, Russell McDonough, Hayden Igleheart, Ernest Houck, S. J. Chevening, Bob Blake, H. H. Herdry, Delmas Higgins, Dave Wash, Stapleton, C. H. Morefield, John Childers, Steve Varson, and Carl Fitzpatrick.

The Jenkins P. T. A. met Monday night November 3, in the school library. Mrs. Tony Dann presided over a very interesting program.

During the business session it was agreed to change the meeting night from the second to the third Monday night of every month. The second grade, Joyce Senter, teacher, won the attendance prize.

Mr. Ted Bumgardner, gave an interesting talk on the proposed gymnasium project.

Mrs. Josephine Vanover Sanders gave a report on her trip to the class-room teachers meeting at Savannah, Ga.

Mrs. J. L. Witt entertained last Tuesday with a canasta party in honor of Mrs. Clarence Rees. Enjoying Mrs. Witt's hospitality were Mesdames Hobart Hendry, Marshall Prunty, Hobart Hunt, Hayden Igleheart, and the honoree who was given a guest prize.

The Jenkins Woman's Club served a Turkey dinner to about 40 guests last Friday night at the clubhouse. Proceeds will be used to pay for the new front concrete steps.

Ladies Day luncheon was enjoyed by several members of the Elkhorn Country Club last Wednesday.

Among those who attended the Ky-Tenn. game in Knoxville recently were: Mr. and Mrs. Dick Storey, Mrs. Raymond Litts, Mrs. Steve Hedvig and Betty Jane Hayes and Red Ellenburg, Cecil Holtzclaw and Larry Davidson.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Dittick for the Thanksgiving holidays are Mrs. A. C. Dittick Sr. and Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Hupp and Barbara Hupp from Erwin, Tenn.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Houck and daughter spent a week end in Lexington recently.

The Woman's Missionary Society of the First Baptist Church gave a mother and daughter banquet last Monday night. About 71 mothers and daughters were present. Miss Helen Sinclair, Mountain Field Worker was the speaker for the evening and her topic was "The Light of the World."

Miss Sinclair was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Jessee.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard R. Beverley visited Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Gibson Jr., in Wheelwright, recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Mullins and children Sally and Brent of Daytona Beach, Fla. are visiting relatives and friends in Jenkins.

Our sincere sympathy to Mrs. Joe Pendleton, whose father Mr. Bundy, passed Mrs. Oscar Nash is home from the hospital and is reported doing nicely.

The Eastern Star met recently for their monthly meeting this week in the Masonic Hall. Hostesses for the evening were Mesdames Ray Mullins, Willard Beverley, Myrtle Branham, Russell Phelps and Miss Lottie Maxwell. Refreshments to the 39 members present.

The Mountain Eagle has good quality typing paper in convenient packages for students. Packs containing 100 sheets of good paper

Stuart Robinson School News

Reverend Shorty Smith made many friends here during this week, while he was holding meetings at Stuart Robinson and Blackey Church. He is a man of sympathetic understanding who likes people and is possessed of a strong desire to help them in any way possible. Sixteen people were baptized and added to the Church and many more had a greater understanding of the purpose of God before his departure on Sunday night.

Miss Jeannene Johnson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Johnson of Stuart Robinson visited her parents and the Stuart Robinson campus this week end. She is attending Berea High School this year. Her parents and Mr. Bruce Breeding took her back Sunday afternoon.

We are very happy to have Mrs. Roberts back in her classroom after her illness. Mrs. Ann Craft and children, Ann and Eric, have come from Lake City, Florida to live with us on the campus. Mrs. Craft will assist in the clothing Sales Room while her children go to school.

Mrs. Cooper's brother, Mr. Hugh Murray, was here from Viena Vista, Va. to visit his brother, Mrs. Murray who lives with the Coopers, this past week end.

Eugene Fields a former graduate of S. R., was here on the campus for a short visit. He had a leading role in our school's own movie, "Highland Heritage."

Jack Banks, another old graduate, who is just back from Korea, was also here for a short visit.

Last Thursday we were entertained by Mr. Fike and two men from the Agriculture Department of the University of Kentucky, who gave interesting talks on how mountain girls and boys could earn school money by raising chickens for meat and eggs and we were given a meat cutting demonstration.

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BLACKKEY

(Last Week's)

The services held for the 42nd anniversary of the Old Indian Bottom Regular Baptist Church above Blackey (on a little hill) Sunday Nov. 23, 1952, was attended by a great congregation of common people.

Coming for this particular occasion, from out of county were folks from Perry, Leslie, Harlan, Knott, and Floyd Counties also among the congregation were noticed, Mr. and Mrs. Mose Stewart, Morehead, Ky. Varge Cornett, Cincinnati, Ohio, Vance Cornett, Winchester, K. Y. Verlon (Byrd) Cornett and his girl friend from Louisville.

Mr. and Mrs. V. L. Hicks from Owen Branch, Church, Floyd County and James M. Caudill of Neon, having heard of this old church came for their first time, to behold our doctrine and order and was well pleased and put their stamp of approval on it.

A brief account of the organization of the church was given by R. B. Caudill.

The Church was organized Nov. 1810, Presbytery were Simon Justice, William Salisbury, and Alex Thomas, Isaac Whitaker, Clerk; Wm. & wife Nancy Caudill and Wm. and wife Abby Pennington, were first deacons.

Services opened at 10:00 a. m. by singing "Amazing Grace" and prayer by I. D. Back, preaching by Elders Denver Tolliver, E. M. Moore, Hindman, Ky.; Billie Stanton, Cumberland, Ky., closing remarks by the pastor, W. C. Campbell, during the shedding of tears and fellowship handshaking.

—by R. B. Caudill.

HOT SPOT NEWS

Mrs. Vincent Frazier has returned home from the Mt. Mary Hospital in Hazard.

Mrs. Jasper Collins Jr., and two children Ruckey and Angela of Detroit, are visiting her mother Mrs. Sallie Tolliver for two weeks.

Sgt. and Mrs. Charlie H. Frazier of North Carolina were called home on the account of illness of Mr. Frazier's mother

Mrs. Vincent Frazier. Mrs. Smith Combs and children are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Combs of Ermine this week.

Mrs. Lawrence Ison is in the Seco Hospital.

Mrs. Matilda Shepherd of Blackey is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Shepherd for the past week.

Mr. Jim Frazier has returned home from the Mount Mary Hospital where he underwent an operation.

On the sick list from our community are Mr. Mose Frazier and Millard Frazier. Both are in the Seco hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. James Baker of Sandlick were visiting Mrs. Baker's mother Mrs. Ida Frazier over the week end. Mr. James Pratt of Cincinnati, Ohio, was visiting his wife and children over the week end.

LETCHER CIRCUIT COURT

Elkhorn Coal Corporation, Plaintiff

VS: ORDER OF SALE

Ronald Robinson, Defendant

By virtue of a judgment and order of sale directed to me which issued from the Clerk's Office of the Letcher Circuit Court, in the above styled cause, I or one of my deputies will on Saturday the 13th day of December, 1952, at the front door of the store owned and operated by the plaintiff, at Kona, Letcher County, Kentucky, at the hour of 10:00 o'clock A. M., expose to public sale to the highest bidder the following described property:

One Yeska Hestrolia one chest of drawers; one Coffee Table; two End Tables; one Crosley 7 tube Radio; one Ship Clock; one Electric Iron; one Medicine Cabinet; one Ironing Board; one Alarm Clock.

Levied upon as the property of Ronald Robinson.

Amount to be raised: \$245.13

Principal Interest from 10-28 1952 until paid

Court's costs 14.10

Plus cost of sale, commission, etc.

Said sale will be made on a credit of three months or the purchaser may pay cash in hand. If sold on credit the purchaser will be required to execute a sale bond with approved surety bearing interest at the rate of 6 per cent per annum from date until paid.

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—HASSEL STAMPER, Sheriff Letcher County, Ky.

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TOLLIVER TOWN P. T. A.

The Tollivertown P. T. A. met on November 20, and was called to order by the President Mrs. Estil Estes.

Minutes were read from the

previous meeting by the Secretary Mrs. Wanda Richardson. Thirteen members were present at the meeting.



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Monday Thru Friday

Saturday

McRoberts

The following went on a deer hunt in Virginia the past week: Warnie Flint, Sr., Warnie Flint, Jr., Lester Flint, Jr., son, Richard, Flint, Warnie Flint Jr. killed the only deer.

Eugene Adams returned home from the Good Samaritan Hospital in Lexington. He is improved at this writing.

Lee Duncil was seriously injured in the McRoberts mine Tuesday. He is now in a Lexington hospital. We pray that he will be well and home again soon.

The W. M. S. had a mission study at the Missionary Church Tuesday night. The Fleming W. M. S. met with us. Brother John R. Isaacs taught the Mission book, "Scattered Abroad", which was very interesting.

James Austin has returned to his camp. He is to be discharged this month.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Smallwood are the parents of a ten-pound boy.

Junior Gibson is still in the hospital.

A Missionary from Brazil, brought an interesting movie of slides to our church Sunday night. He explained each slide as it was shown. He expressed a great desire of his people for missionaries. He showed some of the uses the Lottie Moon offering was given them. He said they depended very much on this offering. When we see pictures like this, we know that the money we give to foreign missions is going to a good cause. He told us when he first came to America he couldn't speak English, so when he told a cab driver to take him to a hotel, he took him to a hospital. When he went to a restaurant, all he could ask for was toast, coffee, and corn flakes.

Marshall's Br.

Arlie B. Johnson of the U. S. Navy is visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hassel Johnson for a few weeks. He will return to San Diego, California. He has been stationed in Korea.

Mr. and Mrs. Emery Bartley, of Penny, were visiting Mr. A. P. Johnson, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Johnson, of Pikeville, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Williams, of Chicago, were visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hassel Johnson, Shelby Gap defeated Marshall's Branch and Bear Fork in basketball Tuesday and Wednesday.

The Belfry Pirates defeated the Dorton Wilks 80-73 at Belfry Friday night.

Hance Anderson was visiting Mrs. Willie Mullins over the week end.

The Marshall's Branch School has recently made a school annual, which sells for \$1.75 per copy.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Johnson were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Milt Bentley Sunday.

Arlie B. Johnson, Mrs. Hassel Johnson, Hattie and Ivan Beverly, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Jackson, Andrew Johnson, Gladys and Lucille, Donald Pennell were visiting in Neon Sunday evening.

SYCAMORE PTA NEWS

The parents and teachers met on the grounds at the Sycamore School with baskets platters and cookers filled with an enormous variety of food, meats, meat loaves, chicken and even a full cooked hogs head, pastry, salads orange juice and hot coffee.

The PTA was commended on the successful work that has been done here and are urged to continue the organization and the good work.

The Eagle Council No. 12 Jr. O. U. A. M. was impressed and were hopeful that we would get a new bridge to our school soon.

The new metal flag pole and chain and the new flag will be a delight to those interested in better education in this community.

The metal flag pole is set in concrete. The brass chain is 70 feet long and the pole is 35 feet the flag is approximately 4x6 feet.

Blair Branch

Tuesday, Nov. 25

—by Minnie Adams—

Mr. and Mrs. Elijah Whitaker and Mr. and Mrs. William Whitaker were visiting Mrs. Polly Blair and family recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Greenie Blair, of Louisville, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Obie Stewart, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Blair, and Mr. and Mrs. William Adams over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Ashley and family, of Irishman, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Bill Blair Sunday of last week.

"Aunt" Jane Blair is visiting her son, Bill Blair.

Colman Adams, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. Emmitt Adams, is ill at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Adams, has been ill for a week.

Tom Reed Thompson, who is employed at Ironton, Ohio, was visiting his mother, Mrs. Maggie Thompson, and others here recently.

Mrs. William Adams is doing well at present.

Mrs. Elmer Adams and Mrs. Dewey Blair are not doing very well at present.

Jim Adams, of Spring Br., spent Wednesday night at the home of his brother, William Adams.

HAYMOND

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Keith and son Michael, of Louisville, spent Thanksgiving with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Sam Hoskins and with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Proffitt.

Burl Dotson suffered a heart attack one day last week. He is in the Fleming hospital.

Mrs. Lydia Dotson has just returned home from the Fleming hospital, where she has been ill with pneumonia.

Loretta Mullins spent from Sunday until Wednesday as the guest of Mrs. Bill Wayne Wright of Whitesburg.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Day had as Thanksgiving guests, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Fuller and daughter Donna Sue of Andrews, N. C., and grand son Tommy R. Fuller of Eastern, Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Day and daughter Nancy Carolyn and Alvin Day all of Mayking.

Virgil Wilfong who is employed at Cleveland, Ohio, spent the week end with his family here.

Mr. and Mrs. John D. Gibson have just returned from Louisville where they have been visiting their children for the past two months.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Hood have returned home from Pittsburgh, where he has been employed for several months.

Mrs. Helen Hips is visiting her husband in Ohio.

Sgt. F. C. James O. Boggs spent last Saturday night with his wife's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Trinkle.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Williams and son Jeffrey and Donald Kincer all of Mayking spent last Sunday evening with their grandmother Mrs. Floyd Whitaker and Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Whitaker.

Russell Proffitt who is attending school in Johnson City, Tennessee, spent Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Proffitt.

THORNTON NEWS

A candy party was given at the home of Marcella Crase Saturday Nov. 22. Those present were: Susanne Craft, Nan Lou, Alpha, Ruby, Joyce Kiser, Jack Craft, Frank, Hatter, Edna Webb, of Harlan, Brooks, Emory Lee Bentley, Jimmie Donald McCall, Billie Jean Sexton, Robert Mullins, Tona Webb, Billie Dagnan, Paul Dean, Glenda Ann Books, Ralph Beck, Rex Adams, Rex Polly, Mary Dallas Fox, Janice Mooney.

Arthur Dunn, Billie Tolson, Jeanette and Thelma Stamper, Homer Mason, Bobbie Stamp, Corbin Wright, Robert Sparks, Homer Joseph, Bobby Spangler, Charles Phillips, Correen Woody, Ivan Lee Johnson, Robert Adams, Ed Blair, Norman Holbrook, Helen, and Jeanette Mullins.

Everyone had a nice time. Candy and drinks were served.

Hallie News

A 3-c Ira Whitaker and A3-c Lauzy Watts returned to their California base last week after a short visit with their parents.

A Thanksgiving dinner was set outside the Cedar Grove School with a large crowd attending.

Betty Jo Amburgey, from Stuart Robinson School, was visiting her mother Mrs. Cordelia Amburgey, over the holiday.

Arthur Watts was in town on business Saturday.

Mavis Lowe and Ruby Erickson accompanied a group of young ladies from here, to Hazard Saturday.

Mrs. Mannon Campbell was visiting her daughter, Mrs. Lizzie Dixon, of Campbell's Branch Saturday.

Mary Lou Watts, of Letcher, was visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Watts over the Thanksgiving holiday.

Norma Jean Smith, of Stuart Robinson School, was visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Grant Smith, over the holidays.

Dawson Dixon, of Blackey, was visiting friends while working here last week on the farm plan.

Troy and Gerome Watts, Garner, were visiting friends and spent the past week with Bryant Watts, the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Dixon, of Louisville, were visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Curt Watts over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Eva Campbell are the parents of a baby boy whom they have named Luther.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Williams and children, of Blackey, were visiting her mother, Mrs. Georgeann Spencer, Sunday.

Leslie Griffie is home on furlough from Japan visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Griffie.

Raney, Inis, Vada, and Enmae Whitaker were visiting Mrs. Mazie Caudill at Letcher.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Whitaker of Wayland were visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Whitaker over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Finley Campbell had as recent Sunday dinner guests Rev. Beckham Fields.

SERGEANT

Forty were in attendance at Sunday School here last Sunday. Reverend Bates preached at worship services.

Burnis Back was home from Eastern State College over the week end. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Willie Back.

Douglas Hunsucker was a home this week end and spent the holidays with his father, Byron Hunsucker, who has returned from the St. Joseph Hospital in Lexington.

Mr. and Mrs. Nash Webb and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Dee Sexton, and Hugh Powell were home through Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. Russell Powell, Mr. and Mrs. Kerner Sexton of Whitesburg, and Mrs. Henry Webb of Cecil Creek.

Mrs. Russell Powell reports the death of her brother, William Mosgrove, in Jeffersonville, Ind.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bates had dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Enoch Holbrook Sunday.

The Reverend Garnett Craft was visiting the sick in Sergeant this past week.

The Arnold Taylors were also in Sergeant this week end.

Charles Ray Adams was home visiting his mother last week. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Adams.

Cecil Webb, of the U. S. Navy, has returned to his base after a leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Webb.

Mrs. Eva King and Mrs. Roscoe Webb gave a stork shower in honor of Mrs. Junior Merrill last week.

Mr. D. B. Cook, a Contact Representative of the Kentucky Ex-Servicemen's Board will be present on Friday, Dec. 12, at the Court House to assist veterans and their dependents with claims for benefits due them as a result of their military service. He will be present from 8:00 a. m. to 4:00 p. m. He will be at the Police Station, Jenkins, on Thursday, December 11.

NEON

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Craft were buying in St. Louis, Mo., over the week end.

Mary Finley and John Holbrook were married Saturday, Nov. 22 by Rev. John R. Isaac. The bride is employed at Craft's Cafe.

Mrs. Dora E. Roberts is very ill at this writing. She was taken to a hospital in Dayton, Ohio.

Ruth Tolliver was visiting in Hazard Sunday evening.

Mrs. Donna Armstrong announces the engagement of her daughter Nemo Armstrong to Claude Short of Pound, Va.

Miss Mary Jo Hush of Bowling Green Business School and Jonelle Collier of Pikeville College were home for Thanksgiving.

Mr. M. L. Cox was visiting relatives in Cornettsville over the week end.

Miss Billy Roberts has gone to visit her mother in Dayton, Ohio.

Saman Ray Penny USN, has spent the past 14 days with his parents and friends. He is now with the 30th Squadron Atlantic Reserve Fleet in New Port R. I.

Thomas G. Wright who has been discharged from the Army is now entering school at Fleming-Neon.

Cpl. James M. Tolliver, son of Mrs. Myrtle Tolliver is expected home soon.

Cpl. Tolliver has been overseas for eighteen months.

F. H. Keith Polly who is now stationed at San Diego, Calif., is home on a fourteen day leave.

LETCHER

Herman Wampler is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Wampler, from Charles-town, Ind.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Caudill are the parents of a baby boy.

The Reverend Tom Spring is in the Fleming Hospital, where he underwent an operation for appendicitis.

Mrs. N. L. Combs had two quiltings with four quilts being completed.

Christine Asher is on the sick list this week.

Several were present at a party given by Mrs. Harold Green.

Mary L. Lindsey is on the sick list this week.

J. R. ADAMS GETS PROMOTION TO S-1

Junior R. Adams, son of Mr. and Mrs. Chester Adams of Whitesburg, was recently promoted to sergeant first class while serving in Korea with the 40th Infantry Division.

The unit landed in Korea early this year after intensive training in Japan.

Adams, a platoon sergeant in Company C of the division's 140th Tank Battalion arrived in Korea in November 1951 and has been awarded the United Nations Service Ribbon and the Korean Service Ribbon with three campaign stars.

Charlie Wright and his entire force invite you to visit your County Clerk while in Whitesburg on pleasure or business. You will always find a friendly hand and courteous welcome there.

ERMINE

A pie and box supper was given at Ermine school this past month. Ben Blair Jr., won the ugly man cake, Donna Sue Spangler won the pretty girl cake, Patricia Hogg won the guess cake. Also a walking cake was won by Charles Blaine Hall and Donna Sue Spangler.

The total amount taken in was \$119.82. The benefits will go to the school.

Mrs. Robert Combs was slightly injured in a fall but is doing fine now.

Austin Wilfong has been seriously ill for some time. We wish him a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. John Austin and children have been visiting relatives this week.

Mrs. Arthur Lee is in Seco hospital.

Hershel Goins has received his discharge from the Army and is now at home.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Kincer are planning on moving to Detroit.

FLEMING

Mrs. Arthur Wood Jr., of Dayton, Ohio, accompanied by her father K. S. Hall, Fleming and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hall, with whom she is living at present, was in our office last week and subscribed for The Eagle for her husband.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Spangler had as their Thanksgiving guests Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Spangler.

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Pvt. Arthur Wood, who is stationed at an RAF Base in London, England. Mrs. Wood will join her husband January 25.

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OBITUARIES



Uncle "Hop" Gibson.

Joseph Hopkins Gibson, son of Christopher Alderson and Rachel Caudill Gibson, was born in Scott County, Virginia, on March 26, 1873, deceased November 22, 1952. He spent his boyhood days in Virginia and came to Kentucky in his early manhood.

He was married to Victoria Bostic in 1896, who died in 1899, leaving Nora, an infant of two weeks. On February 17, 1902, he was married to Manerva Adams who passed away June 9, 1932.

To this union were born ten children, eight girls and two boys. One daughter and a son passed away in infancy. The other son, Edwin, passed away December 20, 1936, at the age of 32 years.

In 1939 he was married to Sallie Jenkins who survives him. Also surviving him are the eight daughters: Mrs. Nora Boyd, Leatherwood, Mattie Verne Banks, Elizabeth, Geneva Caudill, Louana Banks, Minnie Vae Banks, and Virginia Brown, all living on Cowan. He leaves 32 grandchildren and 17 great grandchildren.

He leaves three brothers and two sisters, Mrs. Verna Robinette, Clinchport, Va., Mrs. Lina Robinette of New York, S. W. Gibson, Belvedere, Tenn., J. C. Gibson, Appalachia, Va., and W. M. Gibson, Big Stone Gap, Va.

He served in the Spanish American War and was honorably discharged in 1898. He became a member of the First Baptist Church of Whitesburg, on March 31, 1899, at which time the church was organized. On April 4, 1909, the first business meeting of the church was held and he was elected deacon along with five others. On May 6, 1914, he was elected as Trustee and served his church well in this capacity. He remained a devout member as long as he lived and was an active member as long as he was able to attend.

He joined the Masonic Order of Whitesburg Lodge November 23, 1903 and progressed to 32nd degree in the order. He was a carpenter and stone mason by trade and many buildings of this section were erected by him. Among some of the older buildings of Whitesburg of which he was in charge are The Daniel Boone Hotel, the Bank Building, The Whitesburg High and Graded Schools.

He also played a large part in the new Presbyterian Church and numerous homes in and around the city. He also planned and assisted in the building of seven of his daughter's homes. Being a conscientious workman he was very considerate of all those who worked with him and was loved and respected by all with whom he came in contact. From his admiration for all good architecture and his humble faith in the Christian way of life, he will surely be a fond admirer of the handiwork of God in the Eternal Home which we feel is his reward.

Funeral services were held at the residence, Cowan, Ky., on Thursday, Nov. 25, at 10:00 A. M., with Rev. Clai Rodgers, and Elder Bernard Banks officiating. Burial in the family cemetery. Masonic Order of Whitesburg Lodge Post No. 754 in charge at cemetery. Craft Funeral Home in charge of funeral arrangements.

The Eagle has received a new shipment of typewriter ribbons, including Underwood, Royal, Remington, L. C. Smith, and other leading brands. All ribbons the finest made at a price of \$1.00 each.

Obituary of— Troy W. Frazier



If a man die shall he live again? all the days of my appointed time will I wait, till my change come. Thou shalt call, and I will answer thee: thou wilt have a desire to the work and thine hands. Then shall the dust return to the earth as it was; and the spirit shall return unto God who gave it.

The above could have been the words that kept Troy inspired to live an humble clean life. Because he knew that his fleshly body was going back to the dust of the earth and that his spirit was going back to God who gave it. He wanted to be ready when his change came. He knew that man that was born of woman, his days were few and full of trouble. Yet he clung tenaciously to that hope and knelt by his bed night after night and prayed to that God in whom he trusted asking him for help and guidance.

How thankful we are that years ago when but a young man Troy gave his heart to Jesus and confessed that Jesus was the Christ. He joined the Indian Bottom Regular Baptist Church when but a young man and brought his letter to live with his wife in the Thornton Church.

Troy W. Frazier was the son of the late Hiram and Vina Hogg Frazier was born Nov. 2, 1894 at Dalma, Letcher County, Kentucky. During his childhood he remained in that vicinity and learned to love the people. After going to school Troy acquired a teacher's certificate and taught school for a number of years.

In 1915 at the beginning of World War I Troy volunteered his service for his country and during his enlistment saw action at the front in France and Germany, serving in Battery A of the 32nd Railroad Battalion. He was discharged in 1920 with the rank of Sergeant.

Troy returned to his native Section after the war and was married to Lola Collins. To the union were born three children. Two of them having preceded him in death.

In 1939 he was married to Cora Reynolds. They lived a happy and devoted life. They traveled to church somewhere every Sunday. To their home church at Mayking to Little Colly, to Little Rock, to Little Ruby, to Lohair and to Hemp Hill. He loved to go to church.

He was a member of the American Legion, at the time of his death was Chaplain of Whitesburg VFW Post. He was a member of the Whitesburg Masonic Lodge No. 754 and Hester Chapter 540. E. S.

Troy served as County Court Clerk of Letcher County during the first four months of 1950 and in this capacity showed his love for his fellow man by his firm handshake, his happy smile and an ambition to serve the people faithfully.

He leaves to mourn his passing his companion Cora Reynolds Frazier, one daughter Joy Wray Breeding, and three brothers, Fred Hiram, and George, and a host of friends and relatives.

A precious brother from us is gone. A voice we loved is still. The place is vacant in his home.

That never can be filled. A dear one from our church is gone.

There sits a vacant place. But in that bright and shining home.

Someday we'll see his face. He is waiting for you. He has crossed the rolling tide. Are you ready to meet him. Over on the other side.

The Whitesburg Funeral Home in charge of the funeral.



John Schmidt and Granddaughter

John W. Schmidt former Letcher Countian now residing in Detroit, poses with his pride and joy, six-year-old granddaughter Johnnie Rae Fisher, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lester A. Fisher of Royal Oak, Michigan.

Mr. Schmidt came to Letcher County in 1915 and was employed by the Southeast Coal Company at Seco. He left for the Army in World War I and returned to the Southeast mine at Millstone in 1919. He was later employed by Elkhorn Collieries Coal Company, Thornton; Sandlick Coal Co., Belcraft; and then at the Premium Coal Co., Hot Spot.

He moved to Detroit in 1943 and is employed by General Motors Chevrolet Division. He and Mrs. Schmidt still regard Letcher County as their home.

Johnnie R. a. e. the only daughter of the Fishers, is a second grade student at White School in Royal Oak. Her father is a native of Great Falls, Montana. Her mother is the former Lottie J. Schmidt, who graduated from Stuart Robinson High School and attended Pikeville Junior College. She graduated from the Louisville General Hospital School of Nursing.

The Schmidts and Fishers invite all their Letcher County friends to visit them while in Detroit. Their address is 3697 Superior Apt. T, Detroit 7, Mich.

OBITUARY OF— CRISSIE CORNETT

Mrs. Crissie Cornett, was the daughter of Tom and Nancy Caudill Ison and was born on September 30, 1896. She departed this life on Wednesday November 26, 1952 at the age of 56 years, one month and 27 days. She was married to Melvin Cornett on September 24, 1919, to this happy union was born 4 children who survive her: Evelyn Fields, Whitesburg; Rosemary Whitaker, Tifford, Ky.; Van Cornett, Brookton, Mass.; Hazel Jean Worax, Tiffin, O.

Two grandchildren, William Van Whitaker age 5 and Elma Jean Worax, five sisters, Mrs. Myrtle Branson, Waynesburg, Ky.; Mrs. Lola Brashears, Ocasalosa, Ky.; Mrs. Carmie Adams, Whitesburg; Mrs. Cuna Phillips, Elwood, Ind.; two brothers, Hiram Caudill, [Raymond Caudill both of Waynesburg, Ky., and a step father Silas Caudill, also of Waynesburg, Ky. On a sister, Mrs. Pearl Banks and two brothers Melvin and Fred Caudill deceased.

Mrs. Cornett had been in poor health for seven years. She was a wonderful mother who loved her family and her home. She professed faith in Christ and told her family and friends several times that she was saved and ready to go when her summons came. Fast as the rolling seasons bring.

The hour of fate to those we love.

Each pearl that leaves the broken string.

Is set in friendship's crown above.

As narrower grows the earthly chain,

The circle widens in the sky. These are our treasures that remain.

But those are stars that beam on high.

Funeral services were held on Saturday, Nov. 29, 1952 at 1:00 p. m. with Elders Charlie Cornett, Ted Anderson, Bill

Sparks and Andrew Adams officiating. Burial in Sandlick Cemetery. Craft Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

Card of Thanks

We want to thank our neighbors and friends who came to our assistance in the passing of our precious, humble husband and father, who believed in his God and the power from on high to lead and direct his steps here on earth.

Troy bore his afflictions and suffering with cheerful patience. In the Holy word it says, "By their fruits ye shall know them." I believe Troy bore that fruit and with the help of God we will be united on that Great Day. I know Troy is at rest and through suffering.

I want every one to know how deeply and sincerely we appreciated every act of kindness and sympathy shown to us.

To Albert Routley and Duard Barr of the Craft Funeral Home, who helped me to get to Sharon Heights Hospital, I shall never forget. I wish also to thank the Sisters and Dr. Moran who showed sympathy and gave words of comfort to my broken heart.

To those who helped to carry out the funeral as we desired and made such special effort, we especially thank the following: Hester Chapter No. 54, E. S. Ladies Auxiliary of the V. F. W., the V. F. W. Post 5829, American Legion Douglas Day Post and the Masonic Lodge 754 F&AM. Also Mr. Quillen, Don Froste, and Christine of the Whitesburg Funeral Home, who had charge of the funeral and gave such efficient, courteous and kind service, and to Miss Gertrude Gambill, who gave her service so willingly.

We shall never forget the ministers, who came and offered prayer in our home, Bro. Clel B. Rodgers of the First Baptist Church and Bro. Bassel Hall. To those who conducted the funeral Bros. W. S. Tolliver, M. M. Music and Raymond Collins.

MRS. TROY W. FRAZIER daughter,

JOY WRAY BREEDING.

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RESOLUTION OF RESPECT

In memory of Troy W. Frazier, who died Saturday, Nov. 15, 1952.

Death again entered our Chapter Hall and called to the Eternal Home a dearly beloved brother who has completed his faithful labor here in ministering to the cry of the orphan to the call of want and to the piteous wail of sorrow.

And as recompense has received the welcome "well done" from the Great Master. And whereas, the Loving Father having called our beloved and respected Brother here, and having been a true and respected member of our Mystic Order therefore, it be resolved that Hester Chapter No. 54, Order of Eastern Star of Whitesburg, Ky., in testimony of its loss, drape its chapter in mourning for 30 days.

And that we tender to the family of our deceased Brother our sincere condolence in their deep affliction and that a copy of these resolutions be sent to the family.

"I cannot say and I will not say,

With a submissive smile and a wave of the hand

They have entered into a better land

And left us thinking how very fair

It need must be since they And you, oh you, who so fondly yearn,

Think of them as living on as dear

In the land of there as the land of here."

Fraternally submitted,
EDITH POLLY
KERMIT COMBS
SARAH BOWEN.
Committee.

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TALKING IT UP!

And now we swing from the gridiron to the hardwood with hardly a time out in between for here we are still thinking of football while county teams have already opened their 1952-53 basketball season or will open the season this week.

Fans who saw the Whitesburg-Kingdom Come game Monday night got a pretty good insight of what to expect from those two teams. Kingdom Come came into the fray with an impressive won four lost one record, which included wins over Stinnett (61-26), Buckhorn (41-39), Leatherwood (61-52), and M. C. Napier (63-56), and a lone loss to Phelps (57-49).

Whitesburg wasn't impressed with records however. The boys of Concy Ray Pigman were out to see just what kind of team they had after losing last season's two standout forwards, Jimmy Bert Tolliver and Carroll Sexton, plus a couple of good guards. When Ray's boys took the floor for the opening tip-off, only two of last year's starters were present. They were John Hall at center and Buddy Fields at guard. Rest of the team was made up of B. F. Kincer, James Crase, and Miranda Logan.

On Kingdom Come's team for that opening game were only half of the first ten men who dressed for last March's 63rd District Tournament. Gone was the familiar name of Darrel Crase, one of the great players to come out of Kingdom Come High School. Mark Creech was gone also but the name of his brother Harvey was still on the roster and Harvey is the boy whom opposing teams have been watching. Whitesburg had reason to watch Harvey also for up to that time the big forward had ran opposition ragged with his long push shots and driving crips while racking up 107 points in five games for better than a 20 point per game average. The lot of guarding Creech fell on Miranda Logan, Camp Branch youth who saw very little varsity action last year. Although looking a little awkward and out of place at times, Miranda turned in an excellent performance while holding the high scoring Mr. Creech to 13 points. Logan also showed a couple flashes of future brilliance with play under the board. Creech showed the fans why he had to be watched every second as he hit two long push shots which striped the nets and then came back with a couple of his driving specials.

The new version of the Yellowjackets is just what we expected. They aren't too big and are short on experience and long on determination, courage and the will to



Ray Pigman
His Yellowjackets
Win Opener

learn. All are good boys morally and the type Ray Pigman likes to work with. They will get better as the season progresses but don't expect them to set the woods on fire when they meet Hazard, Hindman, and a few other powerhouses.

Kingdom Come's strength seems to lie with Harvey Creech who is the key man in the Wildcat attack. It's hard to depend on one or even two men and the Wildcats will have to find more strength on the bench as well as among the varsity. This strength may come with experience. However, the Wildcats are capable of living up to their nickname and can really go wild if an opposing team tries to run with them in an unorganized fashion. You just can't run helterskelter with the Wildcats and beat them for they are old masters at the run, shoot, run game. Whitesburg tried the race horse tactics three times against the Wildcats and each time Coach Adams' boys gained points before Ray Pigman could get his charges to call a time out.

The Yellowjackets will get another test to decide just who's who in the county when they go to Blackey Friday night to meet the Stuart Robinson Eagles, who should have one of their best years with regulars like Dorace Fields and Roger Haynes back to pace the attack. Another good tilt of inter-county flavor will be the Pirate-Cavalier game Friday night. Such favorites as Pirates Murphy and Cox and Cavaliers Pack and Collier will draw a good crowd to this game at Jenkins, we expect.

Kingdom Come Box

Kingdom Come 48-Phelps 57	Pts
Player	
Creech	28
Whitaker	8
Looney	5
Boggs	6
McNulty	1
Total	46
Phelps	16
Dodds	10
Lester	10
Stump	12
Estep	7
Total	57

K. C. 63M. C. Napier 56	Pts
Creech	29
Whitaker	8
Looney	9
Boggs	14
McNulty	1
Shepherd	1
Ison	1
Total	63
Hacker	5
Total	61
K. C.	15
Creech	15
Ison	3
Whitaker	14
Looney	14
Boggs	9
McNulty	2
Cornett	7
Total	61

K. C. 41 Buckhorn 38	Pts
Creech	19
Looney	7
Boggs	7
Whitaker	6
Total	41
Looney	5
Boggs	6
McNulty	1
Total	12
Creech	16
Whitaker	4
Ison	5
Looney	5
Boggs	5
McNulty	18
Shepherd	5
J. Shepherd	3

Fleming - Neon Hi.

Fleming - Neon Hl.

Dec. 5 -	Jenkins-There
"	Garrett-Here
"	12 - St. Robinson-There
"	13 - Pikeville (Whitesburg Gym.)
"	19 - Whitesburg-Here
Jan. 9 -	Virgie-Here
"	10 - Garrett-There
"	13 - St. Robinson-Here
"	16 - Jenkins-Here
"	20 - Napier-There
"	23 - Van Lear-There
Jan. 26-31	Conference Tournament at Pikeville.
Feb. 3 -	Combs-There
"	6 - Cumberland-Here
"	10 - Van Lear-Here
"	13 - Virgie-There
"	17 - Napier-Here
"	18 - Combs-Here
"	20 - Whitesburg-There
"	23 - Pikeville-There
"	27 - Cumberland-There

BASKETBALL SEASON OPENS

Whitesburg Takes Cage Opener From Kingdom Come 48-34

The Whitesburg Yellowjackets turned on a 17 point scoring spree in the last quarter of their opening game here Monday night to defeat the Kingdom Come Wildcats 48-34 in a game which had been close all the way up to that final quarter.

Going into the fourth quarter, Ray Pigman's Yellowjackets held a 31-27 lead and midway of the quarter still held only a four point (36-32) lead.

M. Logan increased Whitesburg's lead by tipping one in under the basket and then following up a missed foul by John Hall to make the score 40-32.

McNulty hit a foul shot and Fields retaliated with a push shot. Boggs made a free throw and the score read 42-34. Whitesburg racked up six more points on two field goals by Hall and one by Fields after Kingdom Come's scoring for the night was ended.

Kingdom Come led only once in the game, pulling ahead of the Yellowjackets 12-11 on Boggs' jump shot with a minute and a half gone in the second quarter. The score was tied six times during the first half.

John Hall was the big gun of the night, sinking a total of 18 points on eight field goals and two free throws. Creech paced Kingdom Come with 13 points. Fields had 11 for Whitesburg.

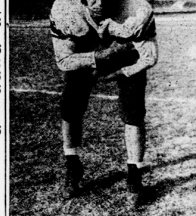
Whitesburg and Stuart Robinson Friday night and Jenkins and Fleming-Neon tangle at Jenkins also on that night. The Pirates play host to the Garrett Black Devils Tuesday while Whitesburg travels to Jenkins on the same night.

WHITESBURG:

Player	fg.	ft.	tp.
M. Logan (F)	3	1	7
J. Crase (F)	3	1	7
Caudill (F)	0	1	1
Hall (C)	2	0	4
Kincer (G)	2	0	4
Fields (G)	4	3	11

KINGDOM COME:

Player	fg.	ft.	tp.
Creech	4	5	13
Whitaker	1	2	4
Looney	2	2	6
Boggs	3	3	10
McNulty	0	1	1
Total	10	14	34



Morgan T. Elkins Jr. Backfield ace Morgan T. Elkins Jr. of Payne Gap, is putting Letcher County and Fleming-Neon on the map as far as football fans at Mars Hill, North Carolina, are concerned.

The 174 lb. former Pirate back is now recognized as one of the best all-around backfield performers in Western Tennessee as he turns in his steady good brand of ball on both offense and defense for the Mars Hill College Lions.

Kincer	crip	2	0
Hall	push	4	0
H. Looney	jump	4	2
Crase	ft.	5	2
Fields	ft.	6	2
Looney	ft.	6	3
Creech	ft.	6	4
Creech	ft.	6	5
Hall	ft.	7	5
Looney	push	7	5
Fields	follow	9	7
McNulty	ft.	9	8
Boggs	ft.	9	8
Hall	crip	11	9
2nd Quarter:			
Boggs	ft.	11	10
Boggs	jump	11	12
Fields	push	13	12
Hall	push	15	12
Hall	spin	17	12
Boggs	ft.	17	13
Creech	push	17	15
Boggs	follow	17	17
Fields	push	19	17
Boggs	crip	19	19
Hall	ft.	20	19
Whitaker	ft.	20	20
Hall	crip	22	20
3rd Quarter:			
Hall	push	24	20
Creech	push	24	22
Whitaker	push	24	24
Crase	follow	26	24
Looney	ft.	26	25
Kincer	push	28	25
Whitaker	ft.	28	26
Logan	crip	30	26
Creech	ft.	30	27
Caudill	ft.	31	27
4th Quarter:			
Crase	push	33	27
Fields	ft.	35	27
Fields	ft.	35	27
Creech	push	35	29
Looney	ft.	35	30
Logan	ft.	36	30
Creech	push	36	32
Logan	ft.	36	32
Logan	follow	40	32
Logan	ft.	40	33
Creech	push	42	33
Boggs	ft.	42	34
Hall	crip	44	34
Fields	crip	46	34
Hall	push	48	34

(Legend: crip - drive-in shot under basket. Jump - either one-hand or two hand shot while in air. ft. - free throw. push - usually one hand push shot. follow - tip-in.)

Free throws missed—Boggs 12, Fields 8, Creech 5, Looney 5, Whitaker 3, McNulty 2, Cornett 1, Crase 1, Logan 1.

Kingdom Come missed 33, Whitesburg missed 14 free throws.

St. Robinson Opens Basketball Season

Stuart Robinson's basketball season opened Friday night, November 21. That first night, was with Stinnett but the game was not completed because the electricity went off.

On Saturday night the S. R. Eagles fought an uphill battle all the way to take a six point decision from Leatherwood in an overtime period. Stuart Robinson was a hampered throughout the game by fouls. Four Eagles left the game by the foul route. Leatherwood paced by Lefty Holbrook, held a ten point lead over the Eagles in the third quarter. Leatherwood continued to lead in the last minute of play, it was Leatherwood by six points. Then Mullins hit on two free throws, Dixon added a hook shot for two points and Dorse Fields came through with one of his under hand shots to tie the score at 52-52 at the game's end. In the final three minutes S. R. added six more points to Leatherwood's one. Final score S. R. 59 - Leatherwood 53.

The Presbyterian Christmas party will be held Sunday, December 21, 5:30 p. m.

Plans Being Made For Church League

Sporting interest among Whitesburg's younger set this week was concentrated on basketball as news of the proposed Sunday School league was spread by word of mouth.

The Sunday School league, which seems to be a reality, is just in the taking stage, although a couple teams have already been organized.

Purpose of the league is to build Sunday School attendance by creating an interest among youths who think only of Sunday School as a place to go and be "preached to" because they are forced.

Originating point of league plans is the Methodist Church, where Juniors and Intermediates have organized two teams, known as the Bulldogs and Panthers and are eagerly awaiting word on game scheduling.

Reverend Clel B. Rodgers of the First Baptist Church, Whitesburg, has shown an interest in the league as has one of his Sunday School teachers, Clyde Walker, and assistant coach, Walter Enlowe. Jack Swisher, teacher at the Presbyterian Church, Whitesburg, has also registered interest and the Sandlick Presbyterian Church has a team which would play at the home of the latter team.

Early plans of the league is to get at least five or six churches from within the county to enter teams in the league. Ray Pigman, Athletic Director at Whitesburg, has offered his whole-hearted support of the project as have Professor Millard Tolliver and Superintendent of Letcher County Schools Dave L. Craft.

Teams would play at least one game a week, each team playing other teams in the league twice during the season and the champion being the team with the best won and lost record.

Boys playing on either A or B teams in high school would not be allowed to compete. Boys must attend Sunday School in order to play with their teams. If a boy misses Sunday School, he is ineligible to practice or play for the following week.

Competition will begin after Christmas and all pastors or Sunday School Superintendents who wish to enter a team in the league should contact Russell Rice at The Mountain Eagle.

An organizational meeting will be held in the near future.

JENKINS CAVALIERS CAGE SCHEDULE

Dec. 6 - Fleming	H
Dec. 9 - Whitesburg	T
Dec. 13 - Kingdom Come	T
Dec. 16 - Stuart Robinson	H
Jan. 6 - Lynch	H
Jan. 10 - Breathitt Co.	H
Jan. 13 - Kingdom Come	H
Jan. 16 - Fleming	T
Jan. 20 - Lynch	T
Jan. 23 - Dorton	T
Jan. 26 - EXMC Pikeville	H
Feb. 7 - Belfry	T
Feb. 10 - St. Robinson	T
Feb. 14 - Fed's Creek	T
Feb. 17 - Whitesburg	T
Feb. 20 - Belfry	T
Feb. 24 - Fed's Creek	H
Feb. 27 - Dorton	T

ANOTHER BIG ONE ELUDES THE SENATOR

If we think back a couple months or more, we can remember Senator Archie Craft as the man who hooked such a big fish that the fish broke a stout fishing rod and made its getaway.

We never doubted the Senator's word for we saw the broken rod.

Now from Florida we get a report on a big deer hunting trip the Senator and Dr. Skaggs took on Dr. Skaggs' place in Florida. To show how fast the deer are there, a big buck came in to the hunter's view and Dr. Skaggs yelled for the Senator to shoot. The Senator raised his gun to shoot and before he could get the gun's safety off the deer was gone.

Our suggestion Senator is that you take us on the next big hunting or fishing trip you make.

-Russell.

HAYMOND NEWS

Mrs. J. C. Richardson is spending several weeks in Bristol, Va., visiting her mother Mrs. Ada Ashbrook and family.

Edwin Kincer and Willie Isaacs attended the football game between Ky. and Tenn., at Knoxville.

Mrs. Bob Smith and Mrs. Bill Fields, both of Whitaker, spent one day last week with their aunt Mrs. Floyd Whitaker.

The Woman's Mission Circle met last Friday week with Mrs. Vinyard Craft to celebrate her birthday. Lots of nice gifts were received by Mrs. Craft.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Wilfong are the parents of a baby girl. They call her Teresa Leigh.

Mrs. Luther Clifton spent week end before last as guest of Miss Stallard at Ermine.

Terry, the small son of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Sturgill is in the Fleming Hospital with pneumonia.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Mullins and Artha Hall who are employed in Cleveland, Ohio were home recently because of the illness of W. M. Dotson.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Edwards and small son visited his mother Mrs. Gertrude Edwards of Tacoma, Va., last week.

Harrison Gibson is ill in the Fleming Hospital, but is improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Asa Rose and son of Kona were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Whit-

aker Sunday, p. m. Mrs. Rebecca Strunk of Covington visited Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Garrett and family last Saturday and Sunday.

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We have lost a dear wife and a loving mother. At a time when life's hours were the darkest we wish to thank the many friends who helped to lighten our burden in any way.

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